The Board of Supervisors proudly declares March 20-31, 2004 as Los Angeles County Cesar Chavez Community Service Week, offering volunteer, educational, and cultural activities in honor of American hero and community leader, Cesar Chavez.

Following Cesar Chavez' example of service to others, County employees may voluntarily offer a day of community service at a designated Cesar Chavez Community Service volunteer site which include community gardens, libraries, probation camps, and beach and river clean-ups.

County employees may also voluntarily participate in the Cesar Chavez 2004 Food Drive, which last year provided over 16,000 meals for needy families.

Following Cesar Chavez' example of social equality for all people, Cesar Chavez
Week will offer Los Angeles County residents and County employees and their families
art and cultural activities hosted by County parks, libraries, probation camps, community
service centers, the Music Center and the Museum of Latin American Art.

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- I, THEREFORE, MOVE THAT THE BOARD:
- Declare March 20 31, 2004 as Cesar Chavez Community Service Week throughout the County of Los Angeles; and
- 2. Direct the Chief Administrative Office, Internal Services Department, Parks and Recreation Department, Probation Department, Public Library, and the Community and Senior Services Department to provide support for this project and volunteer activities. And, instruct the Chief Administrative Officer to ensure notice regarding program week information is distributed via e-mail to all county employees; and
- Direct department heads to promote program awareness, voluntary
  participation in Cesar Chavez Community Service Week volunteer
  services, and attendance to cultural events hosted by the Music Center at
  Disney Hall and Museum of Latin American Art; and
- Request the Los Angeles Office of Education to send notices to school principals regarding the Cesar Chavez Web Site curriculum.

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